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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application entitled:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PACKET TRANSMISSION AND BANDWIDTH GUARANTEEING **METHOD**

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application and the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date <u>JANUARY 17, 2001</u>, in an envelope bearing "Express Mail Post Office To Addressee" Mailing Label Number EK916925706US addressed to: Box Patent Application, Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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| 1. | X Transmittal Form (two copies required) | | | | |
| 2. | The papers required for filing date under CFR § 1.53(b): i. 24 Pages of specification (including claims and abstract); ii. 17 Sheets of drawings. formal X informal | | | | |
| 3. | Declaration or oath | | | | |
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| AC | COMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS | | | | |
| 4. | An assignment of the invention to is attached (including Form PTO-1595). | | | | |
| | i 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) | | | | |
| 5. | C Power of Attorney - Unsigned - Combined with Power of Attorney | | | | |
| 6. | An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed, including a PTO-1449 and copies of references. | | | | |
| 7. | Preliminary Amendment. | | | | |
| 8. | X Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503 should be specifically itemized) | | | | |
| 9. | Other | | | | |
| 10. | . FOREIGN PRIORITY [X] Priority of application no. <u>P2000-021841</u> filed on <u>January 26, 2000</u> in <u>Japan</u> is claimed undo 35 USC 119. | | | | |
| | The certified copy of the priority application: X is filed herewith; or has been filed in prior application no filed on _, or will be provided. | | | | |

English Translation Document (if applicable)

11. FEE CALCULATION

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a. __ Amendment changing number of claims or deleting multiple dependencies is enclosed.

CLAIMS AS FILED

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| 12. | Small Entity Status a A small entity statement is enclosed. b A small entity statement was filed in still proper and desired. c is no longer claimed. | the prior nonprovisional application and such status is | |
| 13. | Other fees | | |
| 14. | Payment of Fees Check(s) in the amount of \$ enclosed. Charge Account No. 12-1420 in the amo A duplicate of this transmittal is attached | | \$ |
| 15. | All correspondence regarding this application | should be forwarded to the undersigned attorney: | |

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